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Board of Trade Holds Meeting

Beautiful weather, an appropriate time and some thirty members and visitors made up the successful Board of Trade meeting which was held last Friday evening, October 8th.

President T. Tredaway, as chairman, opened the meeting with a short address, stating that business meetings such as this were seldom held, but were very much needed and should be held more often.

The minutes of the last meeting were read and adopted.

Secretary Edlund then read communications from W. A. Fallow, Minister of Public Works, and the Alberta Motor Association regarding the hard surfacing of the highway from Calgary to Crossfield and a stop sign at the north end railway crossing.

Not being represented, President Tredaway spoke on behalf of the Public Affairs committee, praising its work and interest in affairs. He mentioned that the park fence, with the exception of the south side, leading to the tennis courts, was completed. "This park is an asset to our village," stated Mr. Tredaway, "many towns would be glad to possess such a beauty spot." He went on to say that this committee had fought hard this summer in the project of making the C.P.R. lot opposite the Oliver Hotel, on main street, a real attraction. It was decided to write the C.P.R. superintendent and have a horticulturist draw plans in this connection. Mr. R. D. Sutherland suggested a memorial be erected on this plot of land in remembrance of the war veterans who have passed on.

This brought President Tredaway to his feet, having listened to Mr. Sutherland quite attentively. "This is all very good, but what have we done for the world champion who hoisted for Crossfield wherever he was, a man who has raised the name of Crossfield to a high standard, the world-champion broncho buster, Pete Knight. He'll be remembered, because his name is in newspapers all over the world." Mr. Tredaway was deeply concerned about this and suggested a small stone be put up, so that the coming generations would know the esteem in which our hero was held.

Mr. F. Laut, of the agricultural committee, stated his committee was in favour of having a community meeting, in the near future, in connection with the distributing of some of the prizes won at the school fair, and in having an outstanding speaker and a musical programme for the occasion. Mr. Laut also mentioned that he had information from the agricultural department, Edmonton, that it was willing to send a field man to Crossfield and give an address on noxious weeds to the farmers of the district. This offer, he thought, should be accepted.

Mr. S. Willis, chairman of the retail merchants committee, reported wonderful success in the sponsoring of a two-day shopping carnival. He stated that the main street would be specially illuminated for this event.

Messrs. A. S. Gough and J. Pinkerton, of Carstairs, and Mr. Hunt, at the age of 80 years, who travelled some 3000 miles to visit his son, Rev. S. R. Hunt, the speaker of the evening, were also present.

Mr. W. Laut introduced the speaker, whose address was on "The Church in the Community." He stressed the fact that the church was a means of helping the young boys and girls, and that a club for these boys and girls, in the hands of such an organization as the (continued on page 5, column 6)

Shopping Carnival.

Owing to continuing inclement weather, it has been deemed advisable to set the dates back to November 5th and 6th.

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Old Timers

The date for the Round up has been set forward 24 hours, namely, Wednesday, November 24th.

A meeting of all committees to report progress will be held Saturday, October 30, at 2 p.m., in the Fire Hall.

A full attendance is requested.

Ross - Anderson

A very pretty wedding was solemnized Wednesday evening, September 8, at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Jas. H. Bradish, of Hillhurst, Calgary, in the presence of immediate relatives, when Miss Mary Anderson, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Christian Anderson, of Eckville, became the bride of Mr. Elvis C. Ross of Calgary. Rev. Dr. Wm. Hollingsworth, of Hillhurst United Church, officiated at the ceremony.

The bride, who was unattended, was becomingly dressed in a blue velvet gown, and carried a bouquet of gladioli, and was given in marriage by her father.

After the ceremony, a bridal supper was served. Among those present were: Mr. and Mrs. C. Anderson, Mrs. P. E. Ross and Mr. and Mrs. James H. Bradish and family. The happy couple will make their new home in Sunnyside, Calgary.—Red Deer Advocate, September 15.

Auto Accident North Highway

Travelling north, Friday last, October 8th, Mr. J. R. Peace, of Missoula, Montana, accompanied by his two sisters, was nearing the corner five miles north of Crossfield, when the car got into some loose gravel, and, to prevent rolling over, he steered straight ahead and into the bank.

A southbound car was halted and the ladies were brought to town, where, when it was found that Dr. Whillans was away, were taken to Calgary, where minor injuries they had sustained were attended to.

Outside of dented fenders, a bent steering wheel and the rear springs pushed out of place, the car was in running condition, and Mr. Peace brought it into town. He said that when the necessary repairing had been done, they would resume their journey north, to Fort St. John, where another sister will be visited.

The Winning Composition

By EUGENE HAVENS

Why I think the School Fair helps the Children.

The school fair is an annual showing of school-work, cooking, sewing, vegetables and livestock. It is held in the fall of the year and it is designed especially for the benefit of the children. The fair is an incentive which induces the children to do their best work, while it develops their intuition and personality. Throughout the school year, the forthcoming fair urges the children to excel in their school exhibits. The school work required by the fair is based on the course of studies, thus it is very beneficial. During the spring and summer, the students have their gardens to attend to, which occupies their idle moments and teaches them the art of gardening. At the same time, many pleasant and help

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An Outstanding Issue

With the recent announcement that the Commission appointed by the Federal Government and headed by the Hon. Newton Wesley Rowell is to tour the West within the next month or two to secure evidence as to the necessity for amendments to the Canadian constitution and to what extent and in what form constitutional reforms should be effected, the time is opportune for Western Canadians to take stock of the situation and make sure that strong and sane representations are made while the opportunity is available.

Emphasis is laid on the incumbency of this duty upon Western Canadians because, if any part of the country has already suffered because of lack of clarity in the division of legal responsibilities as between the Federal government and the provinces, it is the West, and particularly the producers of the West who have in the past few years seen marketing legislation sponsored both by Federal and Provincial legislative bodies thrown out by the courts, as well as other reform measures particularly designed to meet conditions in Western Canada.

Until this question is cleared up beyond peradventure and the constitution made amenable to present day conditions, not only is it impossible for the people of Western Canada to secure measures which they believe would ameliorate existing conditions, but the future welfare of the West is seriously threatened as long as this division of authority and responsibility is indeterminate.

The chairman of the commission has announced that the commission will not hear arguments from individuals, but will only take evidence from accredited representatives of founded organizations, or words to that effect, which means that only the crystallized viewpoints of organizations will be considered.

Whether or not there is wisdom in this decree, the fact remains, and it behooves all organizations interested in the economic social and political welfare of the West not to allow the grass to grow under their feet in marshalling their facts and making the necessary arrangements to see that their group opinions reach the commission at the appointed time and in the manner determined by the commission.

Even under this arrangement the individual who has given a complicated subject serious study and consideration does not lose all opportunity of getting his solution of a vexed problem before the authorities, for he can at least do so, if in his own organization he can persuade his fellow members that his suggestions are worthy of submission, though he may not be given the opportunity of presenting his ideas to the commission in person.

While exception may be taken in some quarters to this question being tackled by a government-appointed commission and while other measures have been suggested, such as a round-table conference of representatives of all interests concerned, the fact that the problem is not being approached in some other manner should not act as a brake in getting the viewpoint of all organized bodies capable of dealing with the question, before the commission.

Over a period of the past two or three decades the West has had the experience of submitting representations to a number of commissions appointed to inquire into this or that, only to find, too often, that a mere fraction of the recommendations subsequently made by the inquiring bodies have been implemented in legislation, but disappointment at the lack of achievement in the past should not act as a deterrent in presenting opinions to the new commission on Dominion and provincial relationships.

An attitude of "Oh, what is the use?" cannot under any circumstances produce desirable results and the question is too serious and important for the West to allow the opportunity to pass by without making its voice heard.

After all the important thing for the West, as well as for the rest of the Dominion is the aftermath—the decisions of the commission and the results of its recommendations, whether or not the method of securing the information or the road through which the goal is reached is to the taste of everyone.

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Lead Monotonous Life

The Soviet Polar Party Camping On Drifting Ice Floe

The monotonous routine of work and relaxation for four unwhipped (it's too cold for baths) members of the Soviet polar party, camping on a drifting ice floe, was described by their radio operator, Ernest Krenkel.

Falling temperatures were adding to inconveniences to their existence. Caviar, cheese and butter froze so hard they had difficulty eating them and ice encased the tiny hut in which they live.

At breakfast, Krenkel related, they soaked their toast in water so the crunching as they chewed would not awaken the party leader, Ivan D. Papanin, sleeping at that hour.

"I am on watch until midnight," Krenkel said. "Then I awaken Eugene Fedorov, the camp magnetologist, who takes the morning weather observations."

"A voice from Rudolf Island asks the weather report. We exchange news, telling what we heard on the radio."

"Fedorov remains in the tent or goes to the ice hut, where he bustles himself over his charts. For myself, there comes the happy moment. I go into my sleeping bag."

"About nine a.m. Papanin and Pyotr Shirsov, hydro-biologist, awaken," Krenkel said. "Shirsov, to train himself to get up quickly, has a bar of chocolate above his head. The man who awakens him has a stop watch. If Shirsov's feet are not on the floor in five minutes, the chocolate is given to someone else."

"Because of the need to conserve fuel, only Shirsov, who spends his whole day at scientific work in the tent, washes his face once every two weeks. He is dirty from oil and grease and his hands are blue from the icy water. But he is obtaining interesting work from his observations."

Krenkel told of conversations at tea time turning to Spain, China and Moscow. He said the campers listen regularly to Moscow news broadcasts.

"At night our dog cries in its sleep as if it was having a nightmare," he added. "All around, it is so quiet you can hear ice cracking in the distance."

Canadian Health Program

Dominion-Wide Campaign For Better Health And Physical Fitness

Launching out in a Dominion-wide campaign for better health and physical fitness, the Health League of Canada has, through its president, the Hon. Mr. Justice Riddell, asked newspaper editors and mayors of towns and cities to name or appoint representatives to the General Council of the League.

The Council will have as its members representatives of all important interests in Canada in order to provide a means for the discussion of health problems common to all communities. All representatives will be kept constantly in touch with the developments of the League's educational program in the promotion of better health and the prevention of disease.

The desire of the Health League in its Dominion-wide plan is to follow the lines of Great Britain's new campaign for physical fitness which was launched September 30th. That campaign has at its disposal ten million dollars for a health program which will run a wide gamut, from setting up exercises to sterner and child welfare services, and from organized games to health films and better care of the teeth.

Already many editors of daily and weekly newspapers in Canada have advised the Hon. Mr. Justice Riddell that they will serve on the general council of the Health League of Canada.

Three hundred and ninety mayors were asked to serve on the council, many have accepted.

Health literature has already been sent to the recently appointed representatives on the council.

It is planned to organize small committees in every municipality which will co-operate with local health officers and local organizations in the extension of educational measures to promote the health of Canada and to reduce the toll of sickness and death from disease.

On the island of Tahiti, the sun and moon have an equal effect upon the tide; throughout the rest of the world, the moon has complete control.

Mother (doing a cross-word puzzle): "Give me the name of a motor that starts with T."
Father (fed up): "Don't be absurd, my dear, they all use gas."

The price of pork and veal is now so high they are using chicken in chicken salads. 2224

Grants To Provinces

Will Cost Federal Government \$46,965,000 In Present Fiscal Year

Subsidies and grants-in-aid to the provinces will cost the Dominion government \$46,965,000 in the present fiscal year, according to an estimate in the monthly statistical summary of the Bank of Canada. This is aside from grants-in-aid for relief.

The total is an increase of more than \$8,600,000 from \$38,335,000 in the fiscal year ended March 31 last and is nearly three times as great as \$16,300,000 in 1930.

The total comprises \$27,500,000 for old age pensions, \$19,215,000 for subsidies, \$150,000 contributed to the cost of employment offices and \$100,000 for technical education.

Comparative figures for the past fiscal year were \$21,147,000 for old age pensions, \$16,960,000 for subsidies, \$130,000 for employment offices and \$76,000 for technical education.

No detailed estimate of total expenditure was made, but the \$38,335,000 last year was divided as follows: Provincial Income, \$819,000; Nova Scotia, \$3,754,000; New Brunswick, \$2,465,000; Quebec, \$4,968,000; Ontario, \$12,150,000; Manitoba, \$3,657,000; Saskatchewan, \$3,810,000; Alberta, \$3,196,000; and British Columbia, \$3,465,000.

International Crime Detection

Advocates Study Of Mutual Law Enforcement Problems

Establishment of an international crime commission linking Canadian, United States and Mexican police was proposed by Colonel S. T. Wood of the Royal Canadian Mounted Police.

In an address at the 23rd annual convention of the International Association for Identification, Colonel Wood, assistant commissioner and director of the R.C.M.P., urged investigation of three projects:

Improvement of international co-operation between law enforcement agencies.

Research in mutual law enforcement problems.

Collaboration with European crime commissions in studying police technique, organization and equipment.

ALICE STEVENS' RECIPES

PROPER DIET HELPS BUILD STRONG TEETH

Which is more important—to brush the teeth twice a day or to eat tooth-building foods?

Scientific research tells us that results obtained from working with the teeth are often shown that the diet is much more important. The diet of to-day contains so many raw materials that the teeth have very little work to do.

Teeth require exercise to keep them strong. If the diet is unbalanced, frequently the blood does not flow to the teeth as it should and the teeth are not in a healthy condition. Apples are a food that require considerable chewing and this is very beneficial to the teeth. Other crisp foods such as celery are also excellent.

Raw apples give the teeth more exercise than cooked ones because the cooking softens the cellulose. Some of the vitamins are destroyed in cooking, so for both these reasons food specialists tell us that our diet should include some raw foods. One of the most attractive means of serving raw apples is to serve them as salad.

WALDORF SALAD

Peel and cut apples into small pieces. Cover at once with salad dressing, to prevent discoloring. Wash and dice the celery and add to the chopped apples. Arrange this mixture on a lettuce leaf and garnish with chopped walnuts.

This salad is very attractive if it is served in an apple cup. Select a ripe apple. Cut a slice off the top. Remove the centre without breaking through the skin. Prepare the salad and return it to the apple cup. Garnish with walnuts and serve on a lettuce leaf.

APPLE AND CABBAGE SALAD
Chop the apples and add the dressing at once. Add chopped cabbage and mix with the dressing. Arrange on a bed of lettuce. A dash of cayenne pepper makes an attractive garnish. Cottage cheese mixed with nuts and shaped into small balls may be arranged around this salad.

Readers are invited to write to Alice Stevens, Home Service, Penitence, B.C., for free advice on home cooking and household problems. (Please mention this paper).

Music Must Be Martial

The Japanese Home Office has banned sentimental and popular songs and phonograph records as "detrimental to the national spirit." It urged, instead, martial music. "The Japan Times" commented: "The public is complaining that the new martial songs are so hurriedly composed and so poor that they cannot be sung."

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THE TALKER'S FRIEND



Denounces Collective Security

Premier Hertzog of South Africa Says Treaty of Versailles Has Caused Trouble

General J. B. Hertzog, prime minister of South Africa, denounced collective security and attributed international distrust in Europe to the "war psychology of 1919."

Addressing a public meeting, General Hertzog labelled the treaty of Versailles the source of the present international distrust and armaments race. A victor of 1919 remains under the delusion the victory of 1919 provides "a kind of sacred right in 1937 and in the future to demand obedient submission from the vanquished" to the terms of the Versailles treaty. "It is quite clear that unless there is a fundamental change in this mentality of European leaders the next European war will be the child of the treaty of Versailles," he declared.

General Hertzog denounced collective security as an attempt to obtain peace by force or threats of force, whereas the League of Nations aimed at security through peace. The interests of South Africa, he said, demand it support the league despite its failure over Abyssinia.

Notes In Circulation

Large Amount Of Paper Money In Hands Of Canadian Public

More than \$200,000,000 in paper money is in the hands of the Canadian public, according to the September statistical summary of the Bank of Canada.

The August average of note circulation, as distinguished from notes in banks, was \$203,000,000, higher than any time since the boom year 1929, when it averaged \$205,000,000.

The 1934 legislation which established the central bank provided for gradual replacement of notes of chartered banks by those of the Bank of Canada, and notes of the latter now represent about half the active circulation.

A highly prized office of ancient Egyptian times was that of official fan bearer to the king. The officer was given a fan made of feathers arranged in a half circle, mounted on a long handle.

Valuable Breed Of Cattle

A breed of cow found by Chinese scientists in Hangchow districts is said to produce 1/2 per cent. butterfat in its milk, which is higher than the United States standard.

Reptiles mock, the same as birds, only they shed the outer covering of their scales, while a bird drops the entire feather.

Estate Overestimated

Marconi Did Not Leave Millions As At First Reported

David H. Sarnoff, president of the Radio Corporation of America, returned to New York on the French liner Paris from a five weeks' visit to Europe. He said the estate of the late Senator Marconi had been overestimated in the published accounts by millions of dollars.

"At the time of his death," Mr. Sarnoff said, "it was published widely that the late Senator Marconi left a fortune of about \$25,000,000."

"As a close friend of Marconi for many years, I saw the members of his family while in Europe. They told me that the gross value of the estate left by the Senator will not exceed \$150,000, and that this modest figure will be substantially reduced by death duties, taxes, legal fees, etc. This sum includes about \$30,000 which the estate will receive from the Italian government to whom Marconi sold his yacht Elettra shortly before his death."

"It also included the value of his old home at Bologna, Italy, where he carried on his original experiment and made his invention of wireless telegraphy."

Became Used To It

Missionary Has Slept Beneath 500 Skulls In Borneo

Skulls of white men count for little in the head-hunting activities of the Dyaks of Borneo, according to Rev. C. Ross Diebler, who has spent five years there as a missionary. He was attending the annual convention of the Christian and Missionary Alliance in Toronto.

When Mr. Diebler first visited Dutch Borneo, head-hunting was common. With the coming of Christianity, it has become less popular, he says, but the hill natives sometimes resort to their old habits. "There are still plenty of skulls," said Mr. Diebler. "I have slept beneath a row of at least 500. You soon get used to it."

Goldfish Are Barred

Live worms, beetles and other fish, centipedes, fleas, beetles and other insects, spiders, frogs, reptiles, birds, rodents, and certain mammals are prohibited from entering South Africa by a new import ban imposed by the Department of Agriculture. Unless special permission is obtained from the minister of agriculture, it is no longer possible to take even a goldfish or a guinea pig into the Union.

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LEAGUE VOTES FOR NO INTERFERENCE IN SPANISH WAR

Geneva.—The League of Nations committee on political questions adopted a resolution which would pin the fate of non-intervention in the Spanish civil war on withdrawal of foreign volunteers from service in Spain.

Accepted after 2½ hours of intense debate, the resolution stated "League of Nations members adhering to the non-intervention accord must envisage the end of the non-intervention policy" if "interference" effort toward recall of volunteers did not obtain a speedy result.

It did not name any country as having troops in Spain. It recognized there existed on Spanish territory a "veritable foreign army corps, which constitutes foreign intervention in Spanish affairs" and reaffirmed that every member country is under obligation to avoid "interference in the internal affairs of another state."

The Associated Press stated the resolution virtually would give Premier Mussolini of Italy the alternative of calling his troops home from Spain or seeing the French frontier thrown open to arms and men for the Spanish government.

Debate centred on the section which said that if negotiations for withdrawal of foreign combatants failed, members of the league which are parties to the non-intervention agreement will consider ending the policy of non-intervention.

President Eamon de Valera of the Irish Free State, supported by the Hungarian and Australian delegates, unsuccessfully suggested deletion of that paragraph which stated the assembly had council of the league appeal to (the member) governments, who should all have equal concern for the maintenance of European peace, for a new and sincere effort to be undertaken in this direction, and states that, if this result cannot be obtained shortly, the League of Nations members adhering to the non-intervention accord must envisage the end of the non-intervention policy.

De Valera, holding the resolution should carry no threats, asserted his government would remain faithful to non-intervention regardless of any move French Foreign Minister Delbos reminded him the text did not make abandonment of non-intervention obligatory.

British, French and Soviet delegates contended the resolution was a compromise which instead of destroying the non-intervention agreement held out hopes for making it effective.

Although the resolution set no definite time as to when foreign troops must be withdrawn, one clause requested the League of Nations council to "follow attentively" developments in the conflict.

This was taken to mean that government Spain may appeal to the council at any time if it appears that evacuation of foreign soldiers is not being carried out. French circles said one month was the period informally agreed upon to make the proposal effective.

Reduce Freight On Oil

Rates On Casing Head-Gas From Turner Valley To Regina Cut In Half

Calgary.—Freight rates between Calgary and Regina on "casing-head gas" from Turner Valley have been cut in half, it was announced here. The former rate of 60 cents per 100 pounds has been cut to 30 cents per 100. The reduction marks a step in the campaign of Turner Valley oilmen to extend their market into Saskatchewan.

Casing-head gas is a form of unrefined gasoline recovered from naphtha-producing wells. It is used extensively in blending and refining commercial grades of gasoline. It is of too high grade for use in motors in its raw form, but by blending with crude oil the required grades of gasoline are produced.

Peace River Crops

Edmonton.—Harvesting and threshing of 1937 grain crops in the Peace River area and other farming districts north of Edmonton is nearing completion, according to a survey made by Northern Alberta Railways. In some districts, heavy rains have delayed hauling to elevators.

Visitors In Winnipeg

Winnipeg.—Their Imperial Highnesses Prince and Princess Chichibu, brother and sister-in-law of the emperor of Japan, were visitors in Winnipeg on route home from London via Vancouver.

Test Flights Over Prairies

Will Fly Over Western Section Of Trans-Canada Air Lines

Winnipeg.—Test flights over the western section of the trans-Canada air lines should be under way within about three weeks, Philip Johnson, vice-president in charge of operations of the air line, said here.

Air line officials expect to adhere to original plans, first beginning operations from Winnipeg westward, with eastern lines opening later, Johnson indicated.

He said he believed regular operations on the western section would begin next spring.

Personnel employed by the air lines would be Canadian citizens, Johnson stated. Operations out of Winnipeg would begin with a personnel of about 20 pilots, all experienced men, and about the same number on the ground crew.

Radius of traffic out of the Manitoba capital will extend west to Lethbridge and east to Kapuskasing, Ont., about 750 miles each way.

By the time operations start on the western sections, lighted emergency fields would have been built along the route. There will be two emergency fields between Winnipeg and Regina.

Radio beam ranges for directing pilots in flight will be placed at Winnipeg, Regina and Lethbridge, Johnson said.

Auxiliary landing fields will be established about every 100 miles between principal stopping points, and Medicine Hat and Cranbrook and Oliver in the Rocky Mountains. An additional field will be named at Calgary.

Lord Mayor Of London

Sir Harry Twiford Succeeds Sir George Broadbent

London.—Sir Harry Twiford, whose ancestor, Sir Nicholas Twiford, was lord mayor 549 years ago, was elected lord mayor of London, succeeding Sir George Broadbent.

Sir Harry was elected at the guildhall by members of the court of aldermen. He had previously been nominated by the livery, made up of members of the Ancient Trade Guilds or Livery Companies.

The traditional service in the church of St. Lawrence Jewry was held in connection with the election, and Twiford was driven from the guildhall in state.

The new lord mayor has been alderman for the wards of Cripplegate Within and Cripplegate Without since 1930 and became a sheriff in 1934. He is governing director of George Brettle and Company, warehousemen and hosiery manufacturers.

In 1936 he joined the Eastern Extension Telegraph Company serving at Singapore, Hong Kong, Java, Sydney and Nelson, and in 1906 resigned as superintendent of the New Zealand station. He became head of George Brettle and Company in 1913 when his uncle died. The firm was established 150 years ago.

To Buy New Plane

Sir Hubert Wilkins Plans To Continue Hunt For Russian Aviators

Los Angeles.—Sir Hubert Wilkins, polar explorer, came here to purchase an aeroplane suitable for reconnaissance in the Arctic. He said he wanted to get away quickly on another hunt for six missing Russian flyers.

"Time is essential," Sir Hubert said. "The Russians took a six-weeks' supply of food when they left Moscow last month. They might stretch it to last two months."

Sir Hubert indicated the Russian government is financing the expedition.

Build Concrete Dams

To Provide Stabilized Water Level In Southern Manitoba

Winnipeg.—Twenty miles of stabilized water level in the Souris river near Melita in southwestern Manitoba will be provided by two reinforced concrete dams to be constructed this fall, John Vallance, chairman of the prairie rehabilitation board, said.

One dam, to be built six miles upstream from Melita, will provide a depth of 6½ feet of water for 12 miles south to the international boundary, and the other dam, two miles downstream, will be five feet deep.

Fox Farm Distemper

Calgary.—Reports of a widespread wave of distemper through Alberta fox ranches were false, Dr. J. A. Allen of Winnipeg, declared here. The University of Manitoba professor, who investigated the distemper for the Alberta government, said that out of 1,100 fox farms in Alberta only six were infected with distemper.

Social Reforms Urged

Hon. M. A. MacPherson Believes B.N.A. Act Should Be Amended

Winnipeg.—Hon. M. A. MacPherson of Regina, former attorney-general and provincial treasurer of Saskatchewan, praised Great Britain's method of instituting social reforms and urged Canada follow the example by amending the British North America Act to make a series of well-developed social security acts possible.

Traditions and experiences of Great Britain in development of democratic government and personal liberty can be a great inspiration to Canada in tackling present day problems of social legislation and reform, he said, addressing an Empire club meeting.

There is a great need in Canada for unemployment insurance, Mr. MacPherson contended. "The tragedy of to-day is the man of 50 who was formerly in industry and is now out of a job. Our job is to see that the proper amendments to the B.N.A. Act are brought about as speedily as possible in order that legislation can be enacted and any further danger to destruction of character and morals can be removed."

U.S. Traffic Accidents

Cost 24,520 Lives In First Eight Months Of Year

Chicago.—Death is setting a record-breaking pace along the United States streets and highways. The national safety council estimated traffic accidents had cost 24,520 lives in the first eight months of this year.

The total was 11 per cent. greater than the 22,160 recorded in the corresponding period of 1936—the year the all-time high mark of 36,500 was established.

WOULD PLACE A BAN ON IMPORTS FROM JAPAN

London.—Great Britain's resentment against Japanese aerial activity in China was voiced by industrialists and labor leaders in separate meetings.

Expressing deep horror at the "barbarous and systematic massacre by Japanese aircraft and submarines of the defenceless Chinese civilian population," the National Council of Labor urged the government to ban war materials sales or monetary loans to Japan.

The council also asked that League of Nations members be urged to cooperate in embargoing imports from Japan.

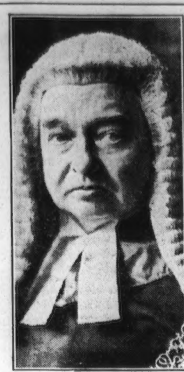
The Federation of British Industries considered the situation at a joint meeting with the London, Manchester and Bradford chambers of commerce and the China Association of Commerce.

The meeting drafted a joint resolution urging on the government the "vital necessity" of action to prevent further damage to British property in China and pressing for energetic action to obtain compensation for damage already done.

The London Labor Council announced it would ask United States labor unions to co-operate in the drive against Japanese goods.

The Foreign office at London announced the government would ask parliament to vote £5,000 to Sir Hugh Knatchbull-Hugessen, ambassador to China, due to the severe wounds he received when attacked by Japanese aviators.

VISITING CANADA



Baron Hewart, Lord Chief Justice of England, who is on a two-weeks' visit to Canada.

Receive Wage Increase

Six Thousand Canadian Seamen Will Benefit By Agreement

Montreal.—Threat of the Canadian Seamen's Union to tie up Great Lakes navigation on the eve of the great yearly grain movement was withdrawn as the union announced 22 lake shipping companies had agreed to sign an agreement providing wage increases for seamen.

J. A. Sullivan, secretary-treasurer of the union which had promised to tie up about 300 Canadian ships unless its demands for union recognition and pay raises were met, said 6,000 union and non-union crewmen would receive increases ranging from 15 to 25 per cent. under the agreement.

Sullivan, announcing the strike ultimatum was withdrawn after a meeting with representatives of most of the companies involved, said the increases were to be effective immediately. Union request for recognition was granted, he said, and the companies agreed to discuss with the men future grievances.

To Have Beam Station

Swift Current Will Become Link In Trans-Canada Air Service

Swift Current.—It is apparent that Swift Current is to become a more or less important link in the projected trans-Canada air transport service, for recently it was decided to establish a landing field here and the city has been selected as the site of a radio beam station.

Inspector Robertson, of the civil aviation branch of the Dominion department of transport, is negotiating for the purchase of property owned by the municipality in the northeastern part of the city adjoining the Elmwood Golf Club property, where it is proposed to erect a radio beam tower and quarters for an attendant. Recently property about five miles southeast of the city was acquired by the government for a trans-Canada landing field. A large runway has been graded and tenders have been called for the erection of a radio meteorological building on the field.

Reward Is Offered

Jerusalem.—British authorities posted a reward of £10,000 (almost \$50,000) for information leading to the arrest of assassins who killed Lewis Yelland Andrews, British district commissioner for Galilee, and his bodyguard, as they left the Anglican church at Nazareth.

Reach Agreement

Close Understanding Between Germany And Italy

Berlin.—Premier Mussolini, although he had no signed treaties in his brief case, returned to Italy delighted with the fervor of the German people's welcome.

If the premier did not sign a military alliance with Chancellor Hitler, diplomatic circles said, he accomplished virtually the same thing in a close understanding and working agreement prepared for any emergency.

"Our leader does not obligate us to extremes," a number of Mussolini's party summarized. "When it seems he has committed himself to the limit he really has not."

"That is the reason for our great confidence in him. If this line with Germany goes so far as to be dangerous we can always refuse to be carried along."

A Nazi official rejoiced that "these five days will go down in history as having had greater weight than months of the Vienna congress in 1815 or weeks of Versailles in 1919." "Debates and conferences no longer are the outstanding characteristic of European affairs. The assertion of strong wills has replaced discussions and compromises."

No visitor in many years has so won the personal affection of the German people as Mussolini. Giving all stories of coerced mobilization of German crowds their due worth, the fact remains Germans gave every evidence of real enthusiasm for Hitler's guest.

The most significant feature of the visit probably was the manner in which Hitler showed off his visitor to the German public. Instead of hiding him away in government retreats, he took him several times a day before great crowds.

Politico-diplomatic circles agreed these were the main accomplishments.

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2. They stand by their Rome-Berlin axis but declare it open to other powers.

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They warned the wars in Spain and China "suggest what would happen were a powerful enemy to attack the capital of any one of the more important European countries where property of immense value is gathered in comparatively small areas, like the city and docks of London."

The statement added there is no means of estimating the economic cost of premium on war risk insurance in the face of such a potential menace.

The Great War can be no guide, owing to the vast strides made in the perfection of offensive weapons since the armistice," it declared. "The wide radius of action of modern aircraft had made the area of destruction almost limitless. Incendiary bombs have increased enormously the potential damage to property."

New policies and those renewable after-to-day will carry a clause stating that no liability is attachable to the company in the event of war (declared or not), civil war or revolts.

The statement added that insurance companies throughout the world were falling in line with this policy. "It is a reasonable assumption that if owners of factories, warehouses, stocks and heads of financial, banking and commercial undertakings throughout the world had themselves to make good the losses of their property due to wars, insurances in working force would gain in strength."

"Indeed, it may be suggested that abandonment of war risk insurance will prove in itself to be a substantial contribution toward the cause of world peace."

U. S. PRESIDENT PAYS A FRIENDLY VISIT TO CANADA

Victoria.—President Franklin Delano Roosevelt came to Canada's westernmost capital and thereby kept alive a tradition more than half a century old.

"Every year since 1884 I've been coming to Canada," the president said as he entered his car to drive from Government House to the destroyer that took him back to the United States after a three-hour "good neighbor" visit to Victoria.

"That is that's pretty good," he said of his annual visits to his neighbor nation, referring apparently to his annual summer holidays in Campobello island off Canada's Atlantic coast.

Rain which stopped abruptly as soon as the United States destroyer bearing the presidential party neared Vancouver Island shores, started again just as sharply as his open car, leading a procession of cars bearing Canadian dignitaries, started back toward the naval craft to the sound of Scottish marching songs played by the 16th Canadian Scottish pipe band.

The destroyer Phelps, bearing the president and his party, slid out of Ogden Point at 4:12 p.m. (P.S.T.), to the sound of a 21-gun royal salute and the cheers that rose from a crowd of more than 5,000 lining the docks.

The Phelps, conveyed by the United States destroyer Porter, pointed toward Port Angeles, where the presidential party disembarked to continue its tour by land.

Indicating the president had mixed his "good neighbor" visit with business, Mr. Roosevelt said he had discussed the projected Alaska to Washington highway with President T. D. Pattullo of British Columbia. "In a hurried press conference with Canadian newspapermen as he sat in his car, the president said he thought such a project would be advisable "as soon as governments of both countries find it's time to do it."

"The more good roads there are, the more peace will prevail," the United States chief executive said.

Outside the stone gates of the Government House driveway where earlier the president had kissed the cheek of seven-year-old Lorrain Roberts when she shyly handed him a bouquet, crowds stood for more than an hour to cheer Mr. Roosevelt on his departure.

They were those who had missed the earlier procession from the destroyer around Victoria's scenic drives and flag-decked streets. More than 15,000 persons, about 6,000 of them school children who were granted a half-day's holiday in honor of the presidential visit, had cheered and waved flags as Mr. Roosevelt drove past in his open car.

At the gates of Government House, eight boys and girls dressed as the president's bodyguards, wearing the uniforms of the British Royal Guard, saluted the president with pikes and halberds.

Because he had overstayed his planned visit by more than an hour, the president drove directly from Government House to the Ogden Point dock where the Phelps and the convoying United States destroyer Porter lay at anchor.

The president walked up the gangplank to the Phelps to the cheers of a crowd of more than 5,000, who waited in the rain to see him, Mrs. Roosevelt and his fair-haired grandchildren.

As the grey ship backed away from the wharf, the president and Mrs. Roosevelt stood waving.

There was no ceremony as the president boarded the destroyer. His informal departure contrasted his arrival nearly four hours earlier when scarlet-coated guards of the Princess Patricia's Canadian Light Infantry and a company from the Royal Canadian Navy stood smartly at the "present" as the presidential car drove slowly by their white-strapped rifles held stiffly before them.

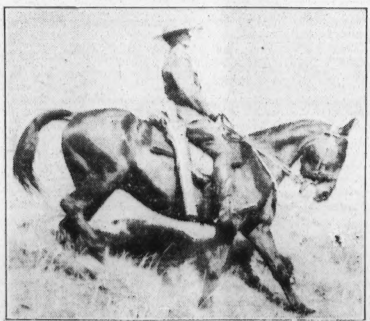
To Visit Italy

Hitler Receives Invitation To Return Mussolini's Call

Berlin.—Chancellor Hitler will probably go to Italy shortly to return Premier Mussolini's five-day visit to the Reich. Italian circles said here.

Before he left for Rome, Mussolini personally extended the invitation to the Fuehrer, and although no date for the proposed trip has yet been set, there is reason to believe it will take place at a near future, these sources declared.

THE PICTURESQUE MOUNTAINS



Visitors to Canada find the Royal Canadian Mounted Police a favorite subject for their cameras. They find them in boats, cars, and on motorcycles, but seldom astride a horse. But the horses have not been abandoned by any means, as this picture will certify. It was taken during field training at Lunenburg, N.S.

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These Times.

We are told that under the new Press Act, at present awaiting assent, the Press will still be free as ever. Will it?

What would your reaction be, Mr. Farmer or Merchant, if asked to give your produce or merchandise without recompense?

Why then, should newspapers be asked to give up free space? After all, all a newspaper has for sale is its columns.

Advertisers pay for display advertisements or readers; why, then, should any government expect to get free publicity without paying for it, anymore than you, Mr. Reader.

Doings at the Newspaper Convention.

A warm welcome was extended to some 86 editors of the Alberta Weekly Press by the city of Edmonton, through Alderman McDonald, when they were the guests of the Edmonton Journal and Edmonton Bulletin, Friday noon, October 8th, at a luncheon. Mayor J. Clarke was unable to attend.

C. S. Wallace, assistant to the managing director of the Journal, acted as chairman and brought greetings from John Imrie, Vice-President of the Journal, and Charles E. Campbell, publisher of the Bulletin, neither of whom could be present.

J. S. Cowper of the Bulletin was the guest speaker:

"When I contemplate the difficulties which must beset the weekly newspaper publisher in Alberta in these days of depression, drought and demagoguery, I feel that instead of addressing you I should be sitting at your feet," he said. He mentioned the handicaps of "curtailed purchasing power, an embittered and divided constituency opinion, and attempted interference from on high with the old-age freedom of the press."

Reminiscences of weekly publishing experiences were related by the speaker.

In the evening, the convention was the guest of the paper houses: Barber-Elis, Alberta, Ltd., Mid West Paper Sales Ltd. and Clarke Bros. Co. Ltd.

Weekly publishers of Alberta were eulogized at their annual dinner Friday night for the noble spirit informing their work by D. E. Cameron, University of Alberta librarian, and W. A. MacDonald of the Journal.

PROBLEMS ERASED

Problems burdening newspapermen in the province were momentarily erased as members of the association heard speeches commending their enterprise and vision, and thundered out their repeated applause at the skill of the Jordan School of Dancing, whose pupils were special entertainers for the occasion.

Fidelity, good-humour, patience and a gentle tenderness with human frailties were singled out by Mr. Cameron as the four pillars upon which the success of weekly publishers in the province was based.

Few professions perform services equal to those of the publishers' association he continued, and almost none in a spirit so void of the narrowing limitations of bias or rancour.

OPEN-HANDED GENEROSITY

Recalling the "open-handed generosity, warm hopes, and chivalrous dreams" of the pioneers whose exploits moulded the destiny of the West. Mr. Cameron vouchsafed for publishers an abiding claim to fame if they could succeed in keeping in their papers something of the spark and spirit native to those stirring early days.

Freedom of the press and the safety of democracy are linked together in a union so intimate that one cannot be injured without jeopardizing the other, declared Mr. MacDonald.

CONTROL WILL FAIL

Repression or control of the press in Alberta, unattempted in other British countries for untold generations, will collapse in total failure, because it defies the instincts and needs of a truly democratic people, he asserted amid applause.

The shackling of the press in Germany, Italy and Russia, dark citadels of repression now, affords no criterion for the victory of similar efforts in a British country, he reasoned.

In the former nations, liberty and democracy were not firmly rooted in the traditions or aspirations of their peoples, and actually "were only skin-deep."

It required no great effort of strength, he charged, to sweep away the mere semblance of a free press in these countries. Anyone trying to strip free British subjects, however, of their long maintained and deeply-cherished independent press, is undertaking a task that would have bowed down the strength of Hercules, a task doomed to failure.

"In conclusion, may I say this, the press and democracy thrive today after foolish kings, misguided parliaments, and headstrong dictators have passed away."

From all parts of the province, the editors of the various Weeklies gathered at the Macdonald Hotel, Edmonton, Friday morning, October 8th, for the two-day 1937 convention.

Assembled to speak their minds, on weighty public matters and developments in Alberta which, they feared, have imperilled the basis of their work.

The following wire was sent to Prime Minister Mackenzie King:

"The Alberta Division of the Canadian Weekly Newspapers Association in convention assembled unanimously and vigorously protests against the legislation passed by the Alberta legislature respecting the freedom of the press, believing it to be absolutely opposed to those traditional British Privileges of free speech and free press for which publishers of past generations sacrificed their property and liberty."

PLEDGES OF SUPPORT

(see next column)

Today's Thought

A great friendship is deathless. Your friend of the years that are gone will continue to be your friend in the years that are to come—perhaps more fervently than ever your friend with a friendship which time cannot change, which can know of no alloy, no possibility of breach, no shadow of misunderstanding a friendship which is immortal in memory. Is there not some comfort in this?—Sir Hall Caine.

Do You Know

It's just a year ago yesterday since the attempted hold-up of Geo. Lim of the Oliver Cafe.

Mr. and Mrs. I. Mills of Banff are the guests of Mr. and Mrs. M. Fike.

That the Board of Trade forthcoming Shopping Carnival is going to be worthwhile.

TRAIN TIME AT CROSSFIELD

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DAILY

521...leaves...12.42 a.m.

Note 521 stops on flag only

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523... " " " " 10.07 a.m.

525... " " " " 5.53 p.m.

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DAILY

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Daily Except Sundays

524... " " " " 12.21 noon

526... " " " " 5.35 p.m.

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P. D. Sez:

She has been on more laps than a napkin.

Warm pledges of support came from the parent body, the Canadian Weekly Newspapers Association, which advised members that the good wishes of the weekly publishers all across Canada went out to the Alberta men in their fight against a servile press.

Similar greetings came from the British Columbia section of the association, which declared that the first order of business on the agenda was to pass a resolution commending the stand taken by the publishers of this province in their fight for their freedom.

Copy of this resolution, the British Columbia division advised, was being forwarded to Premier Wm. Aberhart.

MESSAGE OF COMMENDATION

A message of commendation also was received from the People's League of Alberta, which described itself as pledged to united action for the preservation of freedom of assembly and speech.

Not by regimentation do the Alberta weekly publishers stand almost 100 per cent solidly against attempts to muzzle the press, but it is entirely of their own volition as individual publishers that they voiced their opposition through their papers to the Aberhart regime.

Old friendships were renewed and anecdotes swapped, and the get-together was worth while for those who attended.

Vegetable Shipping.

This District shipped its carload of vegetables today to Irvine for distribution there.

The car had a capacity of 95,000

lbs. and the efforts of those who assisted in any way whatsoever are noteworthy. The local Masonic Lodge and Board of Trade were in charge.

Crossfield District once again has responded to a gallant cause.

BORN

At the Crossfield Nursing Home

To Mr. and Mrs. Blomfield of

Wates Valley Oct. 13, a daughter.

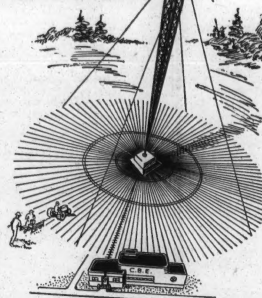
To Mr. and Mrs. N. Tweedle Oct.

12th, a daughter.

Plow Assists Radio Engineers



Even in these days of advanced science the radio engineer turns to the humble plow — perhaps man's first mechanical achievement — to assist him in the construction of an ultra-modern high powered broadcasting station. Here we see the plow, specially designed by J. B. Radford, in charge of installation of the two 50 kilowatt stations, at Hornby, Ontario, and Vercheres, Quebec, which are being built for the Canadian Broadcasting Corporation by the Northern Electric Company Limited, in Montreal. The plow is used for the burying of 15 miles of copper wire in the form of a huge wheel at the base of the 650 ft. radiating tower, at the top of which, as shown in our sketch, is an aerial beacon. This mass of wire forms a perfect ground system and is as wide as the tower is high. These two stations, the most powerful in Canada, will be on the air early this Fall.



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Airdrie Aspects

From Our Own Correspondent

Mrs. E. B. DeWitt left last week for New Brunswick, where she intends spending the next few weeks visiting her mother and brothers.

Last Tuesday, Mr. and Mrs. R. Blair and Marv motored to Lacombe and vicinity. While there they took in the school fair, returning home Wednesday.

Rev. D. F. Telfer of the Wesley United Church, Calgary conducted the Thanksgiving service in the local United Church, Rev. Bosworth, our minister, being confined to bed over the week-end.

Miss Betty Wright, of Calgary,

spent the weekend with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Howard Wright.

Messrs. Ernie Kline and Gordon Darroch returned to Airdrie district after spending the past two months at Innisfail.

Mrs. Adrian Strong returned to the coast, after a few weeks visit here, with her mother, Mrs. Jack Clayton.

Mrs. Molyneux of Ottawa, Ontario, is visiting with her daughter and son-in-law, Mr. and Mrs. R. L. McAmbley.

The Ladies Aid Chicken Supper, held in the basement of the United Church, was a huge success. After the supper, a very fine programme followed, including an inspiring ad-

dress by Rev. Aiken, of Central United Church, Calgary.

Madden Murmurs

From Our Own Correspondent

Mr. Leask and James returned from Saskatoon October 6th.

Mrs. C. Weber's son, Frank Burrell, of Portland, Ore, visited his mother the latter part of September.

Miss Marie Billwiller, of Hanna, has been the guest of Miss Anne Askow for the past two weeks.

Recent Calgary visitors were: Miss T. Poffenroth, Mr. and Mrs. Wm. Marles, Mr. and Mrs. Askow and Johnnie, Mrs. Wm. Tidball and Marilyn and Mr. Bob Smiley.

Miss E. Grant spent the week-end at her parental home, Olds.

Visitors at the C. Weber home recently were: Mrs. Edgar Decksteven and son Stanley and Mrs. Len Morris, of Armstrong, B.C.

Miss Anne Askow returned to Calgary on Thursday, accompanied by the Misses Billwiller and Nancy Cameron.

Seen Around Madden

Miss I. Dawson hitch hiking on Tuesdays and Fridays. The Madden "Chinook" steaming into town at 8:37 a.m. Tuesday, October 5th. Bill Tidball demonstrating a new hair perfume. Dave Farquharson dragging the roads between storms.

Try a Classified and Smile

Calf Club Notes

By 'MAYSEC'

The boys and girls Calf Club held its judging competition at the yards of J. G. Harrison on Saturday last.

Mr. H. McPhail, club supervisor, placed the boys:

1st, C. Riddell; 2nd, W. Harrison;

J. Harrison and D. Leask tied for third place.

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BOARD OF TRADE.

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Board of Trade, would, help, and that what children learned would do much to promote success in future years.

Dr. D. W. Whillans moved a vote of thanks to Mr. Hunt, after which Rev. A. D. Currie said that he and the Rev. Hunt had attended the same university.

Mr. T. Mair informed the meeting that the Alberta Government Telephone officials would be pleased to conduct school children through the Calgary telephone building on any fixed date. Mr. W. Laut stated that the matter had already been taken up by the school principal, Mr. W. K. Gish.

The meeting was then adjourned.

The Facts About Banking in Canada

Reproduced from the Fifth Broadcast in a Series by Vernon Knowles for the Chartered Banks of Canada and Delivered Over a Province-Wide Network of Alberta Stations on Tuesday Evening, October 5th, from 8:30 to 8:45.

Shows That Banks Have Increased Credit by \$227,000,000 Since 1929 . . . Alberta's True Wealth More Than Offsets Albertans' Debt. . . Deals With Money, What it Is, Where it Comes From and How it Works . . . Canada's Currency and Credit Controlled by the Dominion Government Through the Bank of Canada . . . Points Out Question of Who Owes and Who Owns.

YOU have heard that ordinary banking business is one thing, and credit something else. The idea seems to be that the ordinary business of banking can go right along without hitch, while banks can be forced at the same time, to grant extraordinary credit without limit regardless of assets or values.

Not only is that impossible, but actually it could have but one end—the ruination of the banks and of the country as well.

You hear that when banks have to pay anything, they merely issue their own cheques and it costs them nothing. It is not true. It just can't be done. Like you, a bank can only pay what it owns with money which has to be earned — in the last analysis real cash. I shall tell you more about cash in the course of this broadcast.

Now I shall answer two more absolutely false impressions which I find rampant throughout Alberta. The first is that, since 1929, Canada's Chartered Banks have reduced the total volume of credit by \$766,000,000. The second is that Alberta has only twenty cents on the dollar to meet her debts.

Regarding the \$766,000,000 it is even suggested that the Chartered Banks deliberately and willfully reduced the money in circulation to that extent in order to gain some selfish end. If you were told that the bankers refused to sell bread, it would be about as sensible as the story that bankers refuse to make loans to responsible borrowers. Banks derive their chief revenue from loans and to say that they willfully withdraw credit by the hundreds of millions is equal to saying that they are in the habit of cutting off their nose to spite their face.

Our critics have fallen into an error that is quite understandable. They have looked at one column of figures in the statistics published by the Bank of Canada, without looking at another column where they would have found their answer. It is quite true that the total of commercial loans shows a large reduction, but it is also true that investments in bonds show a large increase.

What is the explanation? Simply that, with much-reduced business activity and lower prices, our customers use less money. For example, when wheat is worth say \$1.50 a bushel it takes \$150,000 to buy one hundred thousand bushels. But, if wheat were at fifty cents a bushel, it would take only \$50,000 to buy the same amount of grain. Owing to the difference in price the same amount of business can be done with \$100,000 less money.

On top of that is the uncertainty that comes with depression and the hesitancy of people in business to commit themselves with their usual confidence. They go on a hand-to-mouth basis. They do not want loans in anything like the amounts they want in normal times. Banks, however, cannot afford to have their funds lying idle and earning nothing; therefore, they are driven to invest much more heavily in bonds.

The earnings a bank gets out of a bond are much lower than come from an ordinary loan. Wouldn't you, if you were a banker, prefer to make loans rather than put your money into bonds?

What are the facts? The total of loans outstanding and money invested in securities by the Chartered Banks, at the end of July this year, was \$227,000,000 greater than in July of the boom year 1929. Money invested in Government and other bonds is a loan to a Government or a Corporation just as much as an advance to a farmer, merchant or manufacturer is a loan to him.

Since 1929 Canada's Chartered Banks have actually increased credit by \$227,000,000. This completely breaks down the absurd claim that we have decreased credit by \$766,000,000.

Now as to that second false impression: The general proposition that Albertans have \$80,000,000 in the bank and that they owe \$400,000,000 is just one of those things that sound plausible but present a clear misrepresentation. Even assuming that the figures are correct, the \$80,000,000 is not all that Albertans possess.

To that figure you must add their individual possessions and the wealth and potential wealth of resources which stand behind your provincial borrowings. Consider, for instance, the true value and the potential productive worth of Alberta's coal mines, oil fields, far lands, farms and forests.

If you add to your \$80,000,000 in deposits the true value of the assets which stand behind the \$400,000,000 you will find a very substantial balance in your favour.

It is said that because there is \$80,000,000 on deposit in Alberta, and debts total \$400,000,000, there is only twenty cents to meet every dollar of debt. Let us ask: "Who owns the twenty cents and who owes the dollar?" If you have \$200 in the bank and if I owe somebody \$1,000, then you have twenty cents for every dollar I owe. Can I take any part of your two hundred to pay off any part of my thousand? But the critic says: "Oh, there is too wide a disparity between debts and deposits and that gap should be closed."

All right, let's close it. Now, we'll say that I still owe the \$1,000 but you have \$1,000 in the bank. The disparity has been wiped out. You now have a dollar for every dollar I owe but still what right have I to take the thousand you have to pay to somebody else the thousand I owe?

If Albertans have \$80,000,000 in bank deposits in this Province it is money belonging to individuals. It is their own. Debtors, whether they be individuals, a Province or a municipality, or whoever they may be, cannot expect to use your money to pay their debts. If you have money in the bank you've very next time anybody tells you that they're only twenty cents in money in the banks in Alberta to meet every dollar of debt, just ask the man who tells you that whose debt he thinks your money is going to pay.

We promised to tell you a few things about money and to explain away some of the strange misapprehensions about it.

We shall try to tell you in a practical way, what money is, where it comes from and how it works. There is a fairly widespread idea that there are not enough bank notes or "tickets" around — and that, if there were more, we would all be better off.

If I say that I would like some more of those bills, I am really demanding a larger share of the bills that now exist, perhaps some of those that you have, for you can have in circulation at any one time only as many bills as the volume of business calls for. The moment you issue bills faster than that, you get inflation.

After our first broadcast I received a letter from an Alberta woman who lived in Germany through the inflation. I would like to read to you what she says: "Why not tell Alberta people about conditions in Germany during the inflation — this talking about money being printed to meet the needs of the people is getting somewhat on my nerves. I lived through the entire trying times of 1923 and I could quote you some startling examples created through unorthodox banking. At one time I bought an overcoat for the staggering sum of Thirty-two Billion Marks. I have heard farmers speaking in the lobby of a bank, having sold their produce for One Thousand Marks at one o'clock and, about an hour later, finding that the very same produce required twice, often three times the amount of money to repurchase it."

In Germany at times during the inflation it took an armful of paper Marks to buy a loaf of bread. This German lady, speaking

of paper money inflation, goes on to say: "It brings nothing but chaos, with the greatest loss to those who can least afford to lose."

There is no doubt that the effects of paper money greater outrage has ever been perpetrated on a people than that of wild inflation. It destroys their assets. If you are in the twilight of life or incapacitated but, during the years you were able to work, had put aside a little for the rainy day, you lose. Perhaps you bought some bonds and the income from them is all you have to live on, perhaps \$25 or \$30 a month. Then one day, as in Germany, "tickets" are issued in large quantities, without any basis in value, and without regard to the volume of business.

Your \$25 or \$30 a month, through the huge increase in prices caused by inflation will buy only a fraction of what it bought before. If you are a person with a small fixed income you cannot buy enough to live upon.

Particularly does this apply to a family whose breadwinner has died, leaving only the proceeds of an insurance policy. They seem to have at least some material protection — then inflation comes. Their money becomes almost worthless. That is what happens, that is all that can happen when money is issued altogether out of step with production.

When you hear the tale of the people who couldn't travel on a railway train because there were not enough "tickets" printed, remember that the financial system is exactly the same way as a railway. Lives by selling a service; anyone will realize that there will be no hesitation to provide all the "tickets" necessary so long as something of equal value is received in exchange. As a matter of fact in July this year, there were \$18,000,000 more "tickets" in the hands of the public — bank notes of all kinds — than there were in July of the boom year, 1929.

And since July the "tickets" in the hands of

Because "tickets" have increased. As a story that, for their own selfish purposes, banks monetize the credit of the people, is a completely false conception of bank operations. A bank does extend credit to an individual — or if you like it, monetizes his credit for him — not for itself. That is, the bank makes a loan to him on the strength of things which are his own and which he intends to sell later on and so repay the loan.

No one borrows from a bank unless he believes he will make a profit for himself over and above the bank charges. The bank does, of course, collect interest or rental on the money loaned but the borrower's credit has been monetized entirely for his own use and benefit, subject only to a small fee for the bank's services.

Money merely facilitates indirect barter. If you have hogs and your neighbour has sheep, you don't want to take money in exchange for your hogs. Perhaps you want coal or clothing and you cannot buy them at the store by giving money for them. So your neighbour gives you money for your hogs — "tickets" — and with those "tickets" you buy the coal or the clothing you require as the case may be.

Now what is money?

You and I have been brought up to look upon nickels, dimes, quarters and dollar bills as money — and they are for all practical purposes. Actually these things are really tokens — they are not wealth in themselves. They are merely the title to goods. They are worth only what goods and services you and I can get in exchange for them. That is why it is so important that nothing be done to destroy the confidence of the people in them. That is why there must be no manipulation of the issue of these things if their value is not to disappear.

To a little more expert as it were, if it would be quite right to say that there is far more money in existence than the small

change and bills we see around. Your deposit in the bank — for all practical purposes — is money, good, useable money. You told the bank's promise to pay you that money when you want it; and banks are careful to keep their financial house in such order as will enable them to do just that — pay you when you want your deposit.

The bank holds your deposit, your neighbour's and mine and, because it does, it is able to make loans — the proceeds of which go into the production of new wealth. The borrower makes a profit on the deal, he has more to spend than he had before. This stimulates business and by giving rise to increased employment, distributes purchasing power more and more widely among the people.

Where does money come from?

You often hear that the Chartered Banks alone make it and that they alone have the power to make it — all of which is quite wrong. Last week I told you about the limited power that Canada's Chartered Banks have to issue currency — now up to only ninety per cent of their paid-up capital and let me tell you they pay sweetly for that concession. They have to pay one per cent tax to the Dominion Government on their note circulation and they have to stand all the cost of printing and express and insurance in shipping it around wherever it is needed. Let me tell you that all this, added together, makes the privilege of note issue anything but a gold mine.

The Dominion Government formerly issued notes. When the Bank of Canada was opened the Dominion Government turned over its right of note issue to that institution. It gave the Bank of Canada all its gold holdings, plus Dominion Government bonds, to offset the liability assumed for the notes outstanding.

Then the Chartered Banks were required to turn over all of their gold to the Bank of Canada and to-day the Bank of Canada has, by Dominion Government regulation, power within certain limits to issue notes. These notes of the Bank of Canada together with all deposits in that bank, are backed by more than 60% of their face value in gold, other bullion and foreign exchange.

I told you in my earlier broadcasts that I would tell you about "cash." Bills of the Bank of Canada are cash — simply backed, as we have shown, "Cash in Canada really means bills of, or deposits in, the Bank of Canada — the Government's central bank. Bank of Canada bills, by law, are legal tender. Legal tender is the money in which all debts must be settled if either the debtor or the creditor insists. All other notes in Canada must, on demand, be redeemed by the bank concerned — in cash.

I told you a moment or two ago about the other kind of money — your deposits. They come from your savings, your labour, your production. They also are redeemable in cash. To say that money can be made out of nothing is surely a statement which Albertans will meet with disbelief.

The Bank of Canada was formed for the purpose of securing to Parliament the control of currency and credit. That control was strengthened when, in accordance with prior pledges, ownership of the majority of the capital was vested in the Government. Under the law, no banker, no bank director and no member of any bank staff is allowed to own so much as a single share in this Government central bank.

Let me close on this final note — currency and credit in Canada are not controlled by Canada's Chartered Banks, which are commercial banks — but, with due and proper regard to the value of the money you now have, by the Bank of Canada, which in turn is controlled by the Government of this Dominion.

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WORLD HAPPENINGS BRIEFLY TOLD

Hon. Hugh Guthrie, chairman of the railway board, declared there were "perhaps 25,000 dangerous crossings unprotected in Canada."

Fire destroyed the hangar of the Winnipeg Flying Club and one aeroplane at Stevenson field. Damage was estimated at \$13,000.

Lord Mottistone, a former secretary for war, said Great Britain's defensive measures are now so perfect she has nothing to fear.

Oil production in Alberta, from Jan. 1 to Aug. 31 this year, totalling 1,468,461 barrels, it was reported by the department of lands and mines.

The French government has taken possession of the armament manufacturing branches of the Schneider-factories by a decree published last March 13.

Montreal city council has been asked to approve application for permission to construct a \$500,000 palace. Local promoters want to build the big ice palace to attract tourists to winter carnivals along the lines of those staged a quarter-century back.

A brief outlining a plan for direct air mail between Vancouver and the Yukon, prepared by the Vancouver board of trade, will be carried personally to Ottawa by Premier T. D. Pattullo of British Columbia, the board announced.

Chief Justice D. A. Macdonald of Manitoba will retire on pension November 30, it was learned. The Chief Justice has been on leave of absence for some time. There has been no announcement as to his successor.

The Canadian "weeping princess" stamp, so-called because a flaw resembles a tear on the cheek of Princess Elizabeth, is now worth more than \$130, according to "Post," official organ of the British Union of Post Office Workers.

Australia's chief defence against invasion must be naval, declared Premier J. A. Lyons in reviewing work of the Imperial Conference. The Australian navy, he said, would be kept on a level which would make a fair contribution to Empire naval defences.

Pennies Go To Seaside

Shortage Always Felt In London During Summer Season

London banks have been suffering from a shortage of pennies because large quantities were taken to the seaside to meet the needs of the millions of holiday-makers who use far more than the normal amount of copper coin. Fun fairs, automatic machines result in many million extra pennies being required at resorts. In the autumn, these pennies drift back to the banks, so that no extra demands are being made on the Mint.

Contribution Is Small

Canada's contribution to the world's supply of war materials is small. In 1936, according to a Dominion Bureau of Statistics report, total production of explosives, including fireworks, was \$9,354,000, and only a small fraction, \$173,000 worth, was exported. In 1935 output was valued at \$9,337,000, and exports were \$137,000.

A single penny may produce 3,600,000 grains of pollen.

Three-Day Plane Service

Explorer Predicts New York To Orient Route Via Canada

Three-day airplane service between New York and the Orient, via Canada and the Arctic, is predicted for the future by William Herbert Hobbs, retired University of Michigan geologist and explorer.

Two routes across the Polar wastes—one to China, the other to Japan—are envisaged by the scientist. Neither would cross the North Pole.

He praised pioneering efforts of Russian aviators in flying from Moscow to the Pacific Coast by a Polar route, saying they demonstrated the practicability of long-distance Polar flights, but the Russian routes, he said, offer no commercial possibilities.

This New York-China route would provide for stops at Montreal, Fort Hope near Hudson Bay, Borden Island in the Arctic, Kotolovo in the Siberian Islands, Villuik and Chita in Siberia before reaching Peiping.

In a flight to Japan the same route would be followed as far as Fort Hope. From there it would cross the Magnetic Pole to Banks Island, Wrangell Island, Japanese Sakhalin, and thence to Tokyo.

Stops on both routes would be ideally spaced Professor Hobbs says. Huge supplies of gasoline would not be necessary because refueling facilities could be provided at each station.

For Control Of Nickel

Trades And Labor Council Pass Resolution

The Trades and Labor Congress of Canada voted to ask the Dominion government to declare monopolies over production and distribution of nickel and radium. The motions were from the Alberta Federation of Labor.

The nickel resolution urged that no exports be made except to countries offering satisfactory proof that their purchases were solely for domestic use.

Canada, Fred Collins, of Toronto, said, has 95 per cent of the world's nickel, and "it is no secret that exports of nickel to warring countries have increased to unbelievable proportions."

"It is no secret," he declared, "that in the last year Canadians were killed by bullets containing nickel mined in Canada by Canadian workmen and shipped to Germany by Canadian companies."

"The money overflows of this country are growing fat on the exploitation of mines," he said.

Ancient Jar Of Fruit

Preserved Cherries, 55 Years Old, Attraction Attenet

A 55-year-old jar of preserved cherries put up by Mrs. R. Mulligan, of Stonewall, when she was a bride in 1882, was attracting attention in the offices of the Manitoba department of agriculture extension service.

In a mass jar of design and type no longer manufactured the cherries were the first of preserving Mrs. Mulligan did after her marriage.

Robert Whitehead, of the extension service, threw out the challenge that they are the most ancient exhibit of preserved fruit in the Dominion.

"Why were they never eaten? Well it's a woman's reason—just because they were the first fruit she put up as a young wife," Winnipeg Free Press.

B.N.A. Act

Original Copy Kept In The Main Tower Of The House Of Lords

The parliamentary records office received a cable request from the government of Canada asking for a certified copy of the British North America Act.

The librarian of the House of Commons says the original of the act should be in the Victoria tower, the main tower of the house of lords, but owing to obstruction caused by cleaning operations, it will take a long time to discover it. When it is found it can be seen by anybody on payment of seven shillings and sixpence.

Automobile Thefts

New Regulations Adopted In Winnipeg To Stop Practice

Chief of Police George Smith of Winnipeg announced new regulations to curb automobile stealing. Riot guns, closely resembling ordinary shotguns, which use larger pellets in the cartridges than those used by hunters, will be carried in all cruiser cars.

The cruiser car crew will blow a siren for one block and if a suspected stolen car does not stop the riot gun will be brought into use to puncture its tires.

A Hunting Story

Boss Johnson's Radio Address Over Radio Station WLV, Cincinnati, Re Jack Miner

Someone wants a hunting story. It will be long until the North wind will bring the flight of Wild Duck. No hunter looks forward to his sport duck hunter. The fellow that lives out in the cold wind, wet and covered with mud and maybe does not get a shot is a real sport.

In November of 1918 Dr. J. L. Axley and I were up in the bottom of the Great Miami at the Old Goose Pond, if you know the location. The right was good and a trace of snow in the air. Later in his office we were changing our clothes so we might get in the house of the sky flying with the wind. You know those impossible shots. We all like to tell about them because we believe in ourselves. Fourteen Mallards lay in a row on the office floor, a gratifying sight to a duck hunter and worth all the discomfort, mud and cold endured getting them.

Around the leg of a female Mallard was an aluminum band about three inches in length. Reading it we found this inscription: "He careth for you. Please return to Jack Miner, Kingsville, Ontario, Canada." A few days later came a letter from Jack Miner, thanking us for returning it. He was a man of great character. Jack Miner was born in Northern Ohio on the shores of Lake Erie. Moving with his people across the lake and locating at Kingsville, Ontario. Left orphans at a very early age, he became the support of a widowed mother. They became marked hunters in a country that at that time was a hunter's paradise. Later they started a brick and tile factory as their business became filled with water and now are the breeding and resting grounds, on one of the most perfect thousand reservations in the world.

No doubt-fowls who hear my story have visited this spot. I had quite a bit of correspondence with Jack Miner and four years ago I met him here in Cincinnati. Never shall I forget walking into his room after a cherry "come in." In response to my knock, he lay on a desk bed reading after a long trip. I saw a big grey-haired man, red-faced and more freckles than any man I ever saw and a handshake that reminds you of a lawyer's law.

While seated at a desk we talked of game conditions and what must be done if we are to leave anything for the future. I saw him live after we are gone. Jack Miner was a pioneer in the banding of waterfowl to study during the migration and the bands have been returned from many states and lands. No one will know just how much reaction has come from his work. Never do I see a wild duck in flight that I do not wonder if it could be a bird he has banded.

I would like to talk about Jack Miner until 7:30, but one incident that has always been before me, each summer Jack Miner spends his vacation on Hudson Bay, the last undisturbed breeding grounds of our waterfowl. And Heaven keep him with us for many years for his stands guardian over that great country. While seated at a desk writing in the Mission at Fort Albert, he was approached by a gentleman who asked "are you Jack Miner?" I can see that Scotch smile that answered "yes." From a shot sack the man poured a handful of aluminum leg bands, each with his name and address on it, and said "you tell me about it."

"They are from Vancouver and Durka that I have banded at Kingsville, Ontario. My records will show just when it was done." He asked "Where did you get them?" "They have been brought to me by the native Indians and Esquimaux. They consider these bands a sign from some great power. I explain the Biblical inscription on them."

Jack Miner's voice became husky, tears came to his eyes, as he told me of this man grasping his hand and saying "Jack Miner, I am Rev. Henry Wadsworth. I am a missionary in this frozen country and haven't been out for 20 years and never expect to go back to civilization, but I want you to know that you have done more for the religion of Jesus Christ in the North Country than all the missionaries who ever come."

MATRON FINDS SLIMMING FLATTERY IN TRENCHES

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Indians Hold Celebration

Blackfoot Crossing Treaty Was Signed Sixty Years Ago

Amid 25 colorful topees pitched in a crescent, Indians of the Blackfoot nation, with hundreds of white visitors, celebrated the signing of the Blackfoot Crossing Treaty of 1877 at Cluny, 90 miles southwest of Calgary.

It was there on September 22, 60 years ago, the compact with the Indians, headed by Chief Crowfoot, the "Monarch of All," was signed, the nomadic tribes of the Blackfoot, Bloods, Peigans, Stoney and Sarcee surrendering their rights to the western plains.

Only living signatory to the treaty was David McDougall, of Calgary, who was one of the two white women present when it was signed at Cluny, then known as Blackfoot Crossing.

Higher Fire Losses

With the exception of Ontario all nine Canadian provinces showed an increase in fire losses during August compared with the previous month. The Monetary Times reported. August fire losses in Canada were estimated at \$1,855,500, compared with \$1,587,000 in the previous month and \$2,770,000 in August of last year.

Insects outgrow their skeletons and shed them from time to time.

FRIEND OF FEATHERED FOLK AT HOME



Jack Miner and his granddaughter, Wilhelmina Conklin Miner, feeding some whistling swans at the Jack Miner Bird Sanctuary at Kingsville, Ontario, which has developed into an object lesson for the whole continent.

SUNDAY SCHOOL LESSON

OCTOBER 10 THE CHRISTIAN IN GOD'S KEEPING

Golden text: Keep yourselves in the love of God, looking for the mercy of our Lord Jesus Christ unto eternal life, Jude 21.

Lesson: Psalm 121; Book of Jude. Devotional reading: Psalm 23.

Explanations And Comments

The Salvation, verses 1, 2. Jude, a servant of Jesus Christ and brother of James (James the brother of Jesus, as most scholars agree), to those who are called to service, beloved by God the Father and kept safe in Jesus Christ: May mercy and peace and love be bestowed richly upon you! The reason for Jude's here characterizing the called as "beloved and kept", is because he has in mind others who had been called, but had gone astray.

The Reasons for Writing, verses 3, 4. His purpose had been to write to those concerning their common interest, salvation through Christ, but now now of a danger that had arisen among them had reached him and he was compelled to write and warn them of the peril.

The faith which had once been committed to the saints. The special evil which threatened was the impious men (as was long ago, foretold in ancient prophecy), stealthily sought to use the doctrine of God's free grace as an excuse for licentiousness and denial of our only Master and Lord, Jesus Christ, "Im-pious creatures who pervert the grace of our Lord into immorality and dishonouring our Lord Jesus Christ" (Moffatt's translation). See Mt. 7:15; Acts 20:29, 30. The quotation from the book of Enoch quoted in verses 14, 15.

Regarding the faith once for all delivered unto the saints, Dr. Campbell Morgan comments: "To deny that faith is to perish. That faith is denied most definitely, not by intellectual dissent, but by practical disobedience. The peril is very real, and withal it is most insidious. How shall we guard against it? How shall we be true to the faith, in face of the forces which seek to destroy it? The answer is here at the end of the chapter. And he is 'the only God our Saviour.' He is the One in whom our faith is centred. Then the final responsibility is the individual activity. We must still live by confidence in him. We must keep ourselves in the love of God, by humbling ourselves on our most holy Father and by praying in the Holy Spirit. As we do so, he is able to guard us."

ALICE STEVENS' RECIPES

DATE ROCK CAKES

1 cup sugar (scent)
1 cup crisco
4 cups pastry flour
1 pound dates
1/2 teaspoon soda
1/2 teaspoon cream of tartar
2 eggs
2 tablespoons milk
Mix into a stiff dough and drop from a teaspoon on a greased baking pan. Bake in a moderate oven.

CHOCOLATE CAKE

1 square chocolate
3/4 cup brown sugar
1 teaspoon soda
1/2 cup milk
Make a custard of these four ingredients.
3/4 cup brown sugar
1/2 cup butter
3/4 cup milk
3 eggs
3 teaspoons baking powder
1 1/2 cups flour
Salt
2 tablespoons cocoa
1 teaspoon vanilla
Cream the butter and sugar. Add the eggs. Mix and sift the dry ingredients. Add alternately with the milk and custard. Bake in a moderate oven.

Readers are invited to write to Alice Stevens' Home Service, Paulton, B.C. for free advice on home cooking and household problems. (Please mention this paper.) Orange Marmalade Lemon lives in Wichita, Kansas.

THE CANADIAN ADVENTURE

TRIP OF BOB SIM, AN ONTARIO FARM BOY

No. 16 of a Series of 16 Letters

Bob reminisces on his trip—Still thinks there is no place like home. Believes now that travel is an education. His adieu to all his friendly readers.

Holstein, Ontario. (Special Despatch by Bob Sim).—So it ever so humble the best place in Canada is home. There are wealthier places, more scenic situations, more healthful locations, but this little corner of Canada has something that is lacking in every other place I visited. Here one is accepted without question for better or worse, in sickness or in health. Here there is nothing to hide or reveal, for my faults, and my few virtues are known to all.

That is what home is to me, and perhaps to you. You may not appreciate your home, or your community. If not, try travelling—anywhere you like, but you'll soon be homesick.

Well, I suppose you had a splendid trip, a friend says as he shakes his head. "You are a lucky fellow, did trip," I agree. And it is dropped in my mind. I suppose you had a splendid trip, a friend says as he shakes his head. "You are a lucky fellow, did trip," I agree. And it is dropped in my mind.

Travel—An Education. It would be difficult to teach a boy to plow by correspondence, or to encourage him to show him. So it is with travel. A child may read about our history, but he cannot study our geography, the economies of Canada or its diversity. The study is academic and divorced from life if the person does not observe first-hand. For instance the operation of a modern factory, or a modern cannery are just as many words if you cannot see the machinery running. The study is academic, narrow, and less certain that his own opinions are right if he meets people who disagree with him. A business man in the Maritimes said, "We Hibernians take things a little differently in Ontario." A Vancouver man when he heard I was from Ontario said, "Try to keep your mind open. The place to be away from." Great religious differences are everywhere in evidence. Incipient political factions are gaining ground. It is good for every young Canadian to become aware of these things. His own opinions become too settled, before he begins active participation in civic life.

That is why the Canadian youth is facing its obligations as citizens is obvious. I have been mentioned in the second letter describing the Canadian youth Congress, an observation that is confirmed throughout the trip.

From Chicago to Holstein. At Chicago we were five hundred miles from home. Driving from Illinois, through a corner of Indiana, to Michigan, we passed into a Michigan field at midnight to throw down our sleeping bags for a brief rest. It was dark, and mosquitoes. We drove on in our pajamas; imagine our consternation when we had to stop in a busy highway to fix the trailer. And the amazement of passing motorists. The next field was an open one, we slept till sun rise, then broke camp to pound the trail again. This time on our last lap. We had breakfast and dinner combined with Charlie's sunt in London, then struck home for supper.

Thus ended the journey. And now it's Farewell. Little remains now but to say adieu. Before doing so, I want to thank all those whose kindness and hospitality made the road easier, and the journey less tedious. A number of letters have come in from readers. Those that were critical are appreciated and will be duly acknowledged. My greatest regret is that the letters received from Western Canada, inviting our caravan to visit them did not reach us until the trip was almost over.

Finally I want to thank the editors who have permitted me the use of their columns. But for their cooperation and support the trip would not have been possible. And to the reader, Farewell.

School For Bees. A school has been started at the Moscow Scientific Research Institute to teach bees to feed on only one kind of flower and thus improve the quality and quantity of their honey. By placing a quantity of the desired flower in the vicinity of the hives the bees are soon accustomed to the smell of that flower and will feed on no other.

Corn stalks have commercial value as fodder, the pith of the stalk is almost pure cellulose and of high commercial value, while the dried stalks are used as fuel.

A South American fruit with a custard-like centre is known as the cherimoya and has been called the "vegetable ice cream."



Christmas

The following steamers have been scheduled for your convenience to enable you to spend a happy Christmas among your loved ones in the Homeland.

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Dec. 6—"CARINTHIA" to Glasgow, Belfast, Liverpool
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Dec. 11—"ANANIA" to Plymouth, London
Dec. 13—"ATHENIA" to Belfast, Liverpool, Glasgow
Conductor, Mr. A. Stewart Versey
From ST. JOHN, N.B.
Dec. 11—"ATHENIA" to Belfast, Liverpool, Glasgow
Conductor, Mr. A. Stewart Versey
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Business Stewardship

Need More Thinking Along Broad And National Lines

The members of the Canadian Chamber of Commerce, who recently assembled in Vancouver, are thinking and talking like statesmen rather than like merchants or manufacturers or financial men. They appear to have got out of themselves, have come to a far corner of the country and are viewing problems objectively.

They are thinking nationally, and in this is setting a fine example to our politicians, who are given to thinking provincially and to attacking problems from a provincial standpoint.

These captains of industry, too, are thinking humanely. They are prepared to admit that all is not well with the country. They do not deny that reforms may be necessary even in business. They are ready to grant that business has obligations not only to investors, but to labor, to the consumer, to the country as a whole.

If we could have in our government, federal, provincial and municipal, more men of the character of these visitors, more of the principles they stand for, more thinking along broad and national lines, more regard for the obligations as well as for the rights of commerce and industry, it should be possible to change the whole face of politics in this country. What the country needs is more business statesmanship.—Vancouver Province.

Time Decided Court Case

Established Ownership Of Horse Said To Be Stolen

Ownership of a black mare, nine years old and valued at \$100, was decided by a time trial in a municipal court suit at Rapid City, South Dakota. Walter Runyan, sued to recover the mare from W. Ray Sanders, claiming the animal disappeared when about a year old and was discovered in Sanders' possession. Sanders said he bought the horse recently. Runyan claimed he inserted a dime in the right hind thigh of the mare before she was called, an operation which would prevent a time trial.

The little star known as "40 Erdani" is made up of an element so dense that one pint of the substance would weigh several tons.

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THE YELLOW BRIAR

A Story of the Irish on the Canadian Countryside
By PATRICK SLATER
By arrangement with Thomas Allen, Publisher, Toronto.

CHAPTER XII.—Continued

A saucy squirt of a tug leisurely towed a long string of schooners through the Welland Canal. As a puff of wind filled the sails, she cast us off, one after another, on the blue waters of Lake Ontario. One Irish heart thanked God, that day, that a great queen reigned over the healthier parts of North America. And whenever I read, nowadays, of them burning an old lake schooner to make an idle spectacle for a thoughtless crowd, I think of the stout hearts that sailed her; and the word of one of those fresh-water sailors to his comrade was better, I declare, than any banker's bond.

On a September morning that year, Aaron Peir and I were busy unloading a box of freshly-gutted herrings on the fish quay in Toronto harbor. A stick gave me a sharp dig in the ribs, and I swung round smartly to face a stylishly-dressed old gentleman whose high hat was askew in the surprise of the discovery, he had made.

"Oh, Mr. Lewis," said I, "God bless you! And how are all the folk up in Mono?"

"Ah, ha!" the man exclaimed, "I'd know that back of yours anywhere, Paddy Slater, you scoundrel you!" Sure it was the Reverend Alexander Lewis himself, and he was a sporty-looking old fellow for a retired Presbyterian minister. Away back in 1820, he had been the first settler in Mono Township. For a time he kept the first post office at Mono Mills, and the good man had since preached the doctrine of the election of the saints to two generations of Mono Presbyterians.

For several years, he had been living retired in the village, lending his money carefully on good security at twelve per cent.—yes, and, like a shrewd banker, deducting his interest out of the face of the loan. It is a caution to me how the Lord prospered some clergymen on their small salaries. With his silk waistcoat and ruffled white shirt-front, I would like to show you a picture I have of that smart promoter of Mono, as he sat glowing with health, his hand resting gallantly on the shoulder of a gentle, feeble old lady, whose eyes show plainly she is proud of him. Now I ask you, that better character evidence than that can any man leave behind him?

Rev. Mr. Lewis informed me William Marshall was a sick man, and he gave me strict orders to get back up to Mono as fast as a train would take me. I went into the Great Western Station that afternoon to enquire about the train service to Brampton. And who did I find strutting around there, like a quartermaster staff sergeant, but Michael, the smuggler, who was now using his great voice to good purpose announcing the arrival and departure of trains. When I was a lad in the old days, Michael kept a neat little cottage for him on the bay shore at the foot of York street. The good woman busied herself renting boats, and Michael had been a sailor, and had a good reputation gained by pitching a custom officer overboard into the bay. Michael shouted to me that I was in the wrong station.

The next morning I took the Grand Trunk train to Brampton, and from that village the stage coach carried me 22 miles north to Orangeville, where I hired a livery rig to drive me east up over Purple Hill. I couldn't notice any changes as we drove along, which surprised me because time had changed me greatly since I tramped away in the moonlight over that old country road.

A strange woman met me at the Marshall door. She told me Mr. Marshall was too sick to see visitors. "Tell the good man," said I, "that it's Paddy Slater."

It was a sad sight to see the big man brought low with nothing much left but his huge frame. As I took his hand, I noticed his finger nails were blue. William Marshall was glad to see me.

"You shouldn't have gone away like that, Patrick," he said to me, as we talked things over a little.

"Well Sir," said I, "I did it for the best." "Yes Patrick," he answered me after a pause, "I know all about it now—poor Betty told me."

I mentioned the war and told him about my bounty money.

"And now that you're back," the man said to me, "you'll have to look after the farm till I get round again—since I haven't got Charlie."

It was a long term promise I made that day to William Marshall. His mind drifted off to other things; and after a while he began to pray in a low broken voice. It brought a great choking lump to my throat to hear the sick man praying, not for himself—but for me, Paddy Slater. William Marshall's life dripped kindness as sweetness drops from a broken honeycomb. He was a father and a comrade to me. They make no better men than that pious Ontario farmer. I am ashamed, this day, of the condition of the fields he loved.

The doctor drove up the lane to earn his daily fee; and I stepped out of the room as he entered, bringing the smell of cloves and horses with him. The previous February, in 1865, William Marshall had driven over to Edmoncton on the Centre Road, in Chinguacousy Township, to help organize a temperance society in a village that had a tavern on every corner. It was a lively meeting with heated speechifying and ended in a free-for-all fist fight. The long, cold drive home gave him a touch of pleurisy. The doctor bled and blistered the pleurisy and purged the man into a weakness that held him bedfast for months. Finally consumption set in. Not to spoil a good job, medical orders required that the victim be kept in a darkened room and away from drafts of any kind.

William Marshall died because he could afford to have a doctor. But what will they be saying in fifty years' time about these modern blighters who pump an old man full of bismuth and buttermilk, and then solemnly tell him the picture shows that his great gut is out of order? Just because the silly old fogey has a farm they desire to open him up!

I better be careful what I say because that fat undertaker will need a medical certificate for me. But honestly speaking, our doctors do at times act like heathen medicine men. Long years afterward, the widow, Nancy Marshall, died of a condition that any practical nurse can remove nowadays by local treatment, but it was serious enough in her day to kill her. I had two specialists brought up from Toronto. After leaving the sick old woman, the medical experts rubbed their chins in their professional way and asked me for a chamber in order to discuss the matter. They got the chamber, and I got every word they said in it. Believe me, the only thing they talked about during the consultation was the chances Seagram's stable had of winning the Queen's Plate at the Woodbine racetrack.

On leaving poor William Marshall to the mercy of his doctor, I walked into the sitting-room and there I found Sarah Duncan doing mending and minding a taffy-headed youngster who was toddling about on sailor's legs. The woman was honestly repelled to see me. I noticed an extra stoop on her shoulders as I put my arms around her.

"Sarah, you old darling," I told her, "you always find beautiful children to mind."

"Yes," she said, "even if I have an ugly old face... it's Betty's little girl."

"And how is Elizabeth Ann?" I inquired in an offhand way.

"Oh! didn't you know?" the woman questioned me. "Poor Betty died a year ago July, and Mr. Arnold is married again."

So I picked up my clumsy arms the soft-bodied little person who was to be the grandmother of the young lady from Baltimore; and I went out through the kitchen door to take quite a long look at the rolling hills of Mono. The hardwood trees were already turning; and here and there, a sugar maple, like the body of our Blessed Lord, was showing a patch of crimson on its wounded side in sure sign of a glorious resurrection.

And here I sat, a garrulous old fellow whose trials and troubles are all over, chirping away and as happy making noises for my own amusement as any cricket in a crack by a glowing chimney corner. Sure an Irishman gets a lot of fun watching the world go by. But my warmth comes from memories of the long ago. So I ask you, folk, to fill your glasses with the moonshine of the hills where speckled trout still lurk in limpid streams:

"Here to the worn-out hearts of those who saw a nation's wrongs and to the proud, fun-loving young hearts that have it in their keeping."

—Ave Atque Vale, 1924. (The End)

Swing music (According to a manager of a chain of dance orchestras, is on the way out. Yes, for long, orchestras will be practicing places before they play them in public.

If a man thinks he's Napoleon and nobody agrees with him, he becomes an imitator of the bug-house; if the masses agree with him, he becomes a dictator.



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Record of seven men whose height ranged from seven feet six inches to eight feet seven inches were secured and it was found their average age at death was 34 years. The oldest lived to 45 and the youngest to 29 years. The mortality data of 20,000 men ranging from six feet two inches to seven feet one inch obtained from the company's records were examined and it was found that the tall men had a practically normal mortality for their age.—New York Herald Tribune.

The Old Grey Mare

The old grey mare galloped to the rescue when a bull charged her owner, Steven O'Connor at Saint Ste. Marie, Mich. The mare, 12 years old, was grazing when the bull attacked O'Connor in a pasture. She quickly kicked the bull into retreat. O'Connor escaped with minor injuries.

Mail may now be sent by air from England to 20 countries at regular postal rates.

Monoxide gas is not a poison. It is deadly because it asphyxiates.

Island For Defence

B.C. Government Reserves York Island For This Purpose

An order-in-council issued by the British Columbia government reserved for the department of national defence York Island, a small rocky bluff at the northern entrance to Seymour Narrows in Johnstone Strait.

The order-in-council did not state what use would be made of the island. The site holds a commanding position at the northern entrance to the narrows, in the seaway between Vancouver Island and the mainland.

Prefer Motor Trucks

Captain J. Fisher of the three-masted schooner J. T. Wing, last of her kind on the Great Lakes, believes the day of the sailing vessel is just about over. And he blames it on motor trucks. "We could easily train the boys—if we could get the boys—if they would much sooner drive trucks," he said.

Benjamin Franklin set up the first lightning rod in the world in September of 1752.

Priscilla: "He said he'd love me for ever and ever."
Pete: "Ah, men!"



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SOCIETY SLANTS

WOMENS GUILD

A bridge party and dance, sponsored by the Womens Guild, will be held in the Masonic Hall, Monday next, October 18. Everyone welcome. Please bring a friend, 25 cents each.

CATHOLIC WOMENS LEAGUE
Owing to bad roads and late threshing, it has been decided to postpone the chicken supper until a later date. Watch this column.

INVERLEA LADIES AID
The Inverleas Ladies Aid chicken supper has been postponed until October 22nd.

CLASSIFIED ADS.

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CROSSFIELD CHATTER

Married: At Calgary, on Sept. 6, 1922, Rev. A. D. Currie to Violet L. Cartwright.—Red Deer Advocate

Les Spivey, of Eckville, visited at his parental home over the week end.

Shirley Fike is in the Holy Cross Hospital, Calgary, suffering from rheumatic fever.

Mr. and Mrs. E. Ross (nee Marie Anderson), of Calgary, spent Sunday at the C. Calhoun home.

Miss Donna Laut, of Calgary, spent the weekend in town with her cousin, Miss Wilda Laut.

Mrs. E. Hopkins underwent a tonsils operation, at Calgary, recently.

The Misses Alice, Jean and Margaret Collicutt spent the weekend at their home here.

Mrs. Tweedie, of Calgary, visited at the home of her son Nyal, on Tuesday.

Miss Milly Brandon, of Calgary, spent Thanksgiving with her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Billy Brandon.

Rev. S. R. Hunt attended the chicken supper given by the Airdrie United Church Ladies Aid recently.

Calgary visitors over the week end were: **Mrs. Joe Fike, Mrs. Miles Fike, Lauretta Fike, W. Spivey.**

Messrs. A. S. Gough and I. Pinkerton, of Carstairs, were Crossfield visitors Friday last, attending the Board of Trade meeting in the evening.

Mr. E. S. Hunt, of Lambeth, Ontario, is visiting his son, **Rev. S. R. Hunt,** for a week or two. Mr. Hunt is 80 years old, and travelled some 3000 miles to make this visit.

Lynn Price, ten-year old son of Mr. and Mrs. A. Price, is back at school once more, after spending several weeks at home and in Calgary, taking medical treatments.

Mr. and Mrs. John Morrison returned to their home in Victoria, B.C., Thursday, after spending a month, visiting in Crossfield and district, renewing old acquaintances and, incidentally, once more getting used to sunny Alberta's changeable weather.

A meeting of the executive of the Crossfield Mutual Telephone Co. will be held Friday afternoon, at 2 p.m., in secretary's office.

Rev. A. D. Currie and R. D. Sutherland attended the annual meeting of District No. 4 A.F. & A.M., Wednesday, at Olds.

The editor visited in Vermilion over Thanksgiving, renewing acquaintances with oldtime friends. Ten years sure work changes. Vermilion Chief of Police permitted him to stay, so all was well.

CARD OF THANKS

Mr. and Mrs. Nyal Tweedie take this opportunity of thanking their many friends for the expressions of sympathy tendered to them in their recent sad bereavement.

Missionaries from China.

Rev. and Mrs. L. Baker, of the Regular Baptist Mission in Manchukuo, will speak at both services Sunday, October 17th, 1937, at the Crossfield Baptist Church. An illustrated lecture on the work will be given in the evening, at 8 p.m. Everybody welcome.

Obituary

JERRY FIKE
Jeremiah L. Fike was born at Dysart, Iowa, on September 5th, 1868, and died on September 29th, 1937, in his 69th year. He leaves to mourn his loss: one sister, Mrs. S. L. Harris, of Crossfield; three brothers, Abel at Topeka, Kansas, Christian of Kansas City, Mo., and Peter at Arrowood, Alta.

Funeral services were held from the Crossfield Baptist Church on October 5th, and interment was made in Crossfield cemetery.

The World of Wheat

By H. G. L. Strange
Director "Crop Testing Plan."

The World's millers are now paying a price for the top grades of Canadian wheat that is unusually high when compared with the prices they are offering for other sorts.

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The reason, it appears, is as follows:

The wheats arriving in Europe from Canada's competitors are not, as yet, up to their usual fair quality. Millers, therefore, find it necessary to use a small percentage of high grade "Manitobas" to bring their flour "mix" up to average quality.

But Canada has only a small quantity of these high grades available, hence millers are bidding keenly for them.

Canada will have, I calculate, about 90 million bushels for export, but 21 million of this is Durum and but 19 million Garnet, leaving something less than 50 million only of our best grades for overseas sale, or less than a million bushels a week.

How long will the high prices for "Manitobas" last? It depends mainly upon whether the quality of the wheats from Canada's competitors improves, or whether millers find a way to make good flour with the lower quality sorts!

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The standards for germination, content of weed seeds and of other grains and appearance, are only slightly lower for Certified seed, than the standards for Registered seed.

Red Bobs, Reward Garnet and Thatcher, Apex and Renown, are as yet only Certified varieties. Some day they will be Registered varieties. Certified seed, however, sealed in the sack, is the next best to Registered, and can be purchased with the utmost confidence.

NOTICE TO RELATIVES OF PERSONS ON THE ASSESS- MENT ROLL AND TO TENANTS

[Section 189, Village Act.]
Notice is hereby given that during the months of September and October, applications may be made under the provisions of section 188 of the Town and Village Act, for inclusion in the voters' list of the village of Crossfield by the persons, namely:

The wife, husband, father and mother and every son and daughter of any person whose name appears upon the assessment roll who are entitled to be placed upon the said list—

- (a) if he or she is resident within the village or assists him in business in respect of which he is taxable; and
- (b) if he or she is of the full age of twenty-one years; and
- (c) if his or her name does not already appear on the roll.

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United Church Services
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If you would reap in ten years, plant trees;
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—Chinese Proverb.
Sunday, October 17th.
Crossfield. Sunday School. 11:15 a.m.
Crossfield. Public Worship. 7:30 p.m.
(Sacrament of the Lord's Supper)
Maiden. Public Worship. 11:15 a.m.
Inverleas. Public Worship. 3:00 p.m.
Sunday, October 24th.
Anniversary services. Rev. R. Paton, of Scarbo Ave., Calgary, will preach at Rodney and Crossfield.
Rev. S. Hunt, B.A.B.D., Minister

Church of the Ascension
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Sunday, October 17th.
Harvest Festival Services
11:00 a.m. Childrens Service
10:00 a.m. Holy Communion
7:30 p.m. Evensong
Rector in charge of all services.
Offerings of fruit, flowers and vegetables gratefully accepted on Saturday, October 16th, from 2:00 to 5:00 p.m.
Everybody welcome to these services.
Rev. A. D. CURRIE, Rector.

Crossfield Baptist Church
Regular Sunday Services
11:00 a.m. Morning Service
12:00 noon Sunday School
8:00 p.m. Evening Service
Services at Abernethy 3:00 p.m.
Rev. J. H. PICKFORD, B.Th. Minister